



# Prince George's County Council

## Agenda Item Summary

**Meeting Date:** 11/9/2021

**Effective Date:** 1/18/2022

**Reference No.:** CB-064-2021

**Chapter Number:** 66

**Draft No.:** 2

**Public Hearing Date:** 11/09/2021 @ 10:00 AM

**Proposer(s):** County Executive

**Sponsor(s):** Hawkins, Davis, Glaros, Dernoga, Harrison, Turner, Taveras, Franklin, Ivey and Anderson-Walker

**Item Title:** AN ACT CONCERNING SOLID WASTE STREAM ANALYSIS for the purposes of amending provisions of the County Code relating to required 'waste stream analysis'; amending the frequency from once every two (2) years to once every three (3) years; providing for a certain requirement; and coinciding with timing of the Ten-Year Solid Waste Plan.

**Drafter:** Darryl L. Flick, Department of Environment

**Resource Personnel:** Karen Gooden, Department of Environment

### LEGISLATIVE HISTORY:

<b>Date:</b>	<b>Acting Body:</b>	<b>Action:</b>	<b>Sent To:</b>
09/14/2021	County Council	presented and referred	COW
	<b>Action Text:</b> This Council Bill was presented by the Chair by request of the County Executive and referred to the Committee of the Whole.		
09/30/2021	COW	Held in Committee	
	<b>Action Text:</b> A motion was made by Member Turner, seconded by Member Davis, that this Council Bill be Held in Committee. The motion carried by the following vote: Aye: 9 Hawkins, Anderson-Walker, Davis, Dernoga, Franklin, Glaros, Ivey, Taveras and Turner Absent: 2 Harrison and Streeter		
10/07/2021	COW	Favorably recommended with amendments	County Council
	<b>Action Text:</b> A motion was made by Member Turner, seconded by Member Davis, that this Council Bill be Favorably recommended with amendments to the County Council. The motion carried by the following vote: Aye: 10 Hawkins, Anderson-Walker, Davis, Dernoga, Franklin, Glaros, Harrison, Ivey, Taveras and Turner		

Absent: 1 Streeter

10/12/2021 County Council introduced

**Action Text:**

This Council Bill was introduced by Council Members Hawkins, Davis, Glaros, Dernoga, Harrison, Turner, Taveras, Franklin, Ivey, and Anderson-Walker.

11/09/2021 County Council public hearing held

**Action Text:**

The public hearing was held for this Council Bill.

11/09/2021 County Council enacted

**Action Text:**

A motion was made by Council Member Davis, seconded by Council Member Taveras, that this Council Bill be enacted. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: 9 Hawkins, Davis, Dernoga, Franklin, Glaros, Harrison, Ivey, Taveras and Turner

Absent: 2 Anderson-Walker and Streeter

12/02/2021 County Executive signed

**Action Text:**

This Council Bill was signed

**AFFECTED CODE SECTIONS:**

21-142

**BACKGROUND INFORMATION/FISCAL IMPACT:**

The Ten-Year Solid Waste (Plan) is an ongoing production that is completed and submitted once every three years. The Plan incorporates many variable factors associated with the County's management of waste, to include waste origins, types, volumes, and regulatory requirements. Considerable data included within the Plan is gleaned from the Waste Stream Analysis report (WSA). The WSA is a four-season effort, occurring within the disposal fill area, and results in a comparative review of metrics that provide comprehensive data points within the Plan. The current two-year cycle of the WSA results in a continuous effort (one year for gathering data and three months for finalizing the report). By matching the frequency and timing of the Plan and the WSA, the resulting reports will feature fresh data while saving the nearly continuous cycle of a two-year WSA. Each WSA costs the County approximately \$80,000, thus resulting in savings and an effort as well to best utilize resources.

**Document(s):** B2021064, CB-064-2021 Transmittal Letter, CB-064-2021 Report